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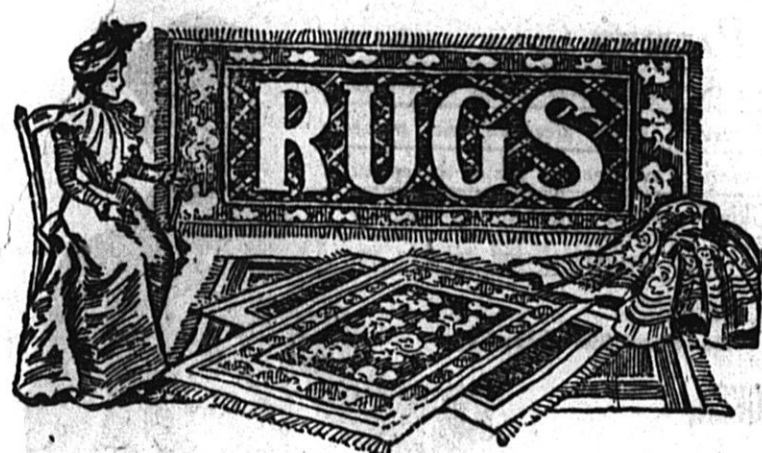
THURSDAY, APRIL 23

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CITY AND VICINITY.

Miss Jennie Grootenhuys has recovered from a two weeks illness.

Miss Avis Hall has taken a position in R. W. Calkin's confectionary store.

A snag struck the bottom of John Schafer's launch Sunday while he was running it near Waverly bridge and damaged the bottom considerably.

The cash register of the City Mission which contained \$2.50 taken in at the refreshment stand was tapped last Saturday and the cash was taken.

Tomorrow evening the Mississippians, a colored troupe, will give an entertainment in Price's auditorium under the auspices of the M. E. church.

David Reid of South Haven, well known in this city, has commenced a suit for damages against the Pere Marquette road, growing out of fatal injuries received by his daughter Florence, while playing on the railroad turntable, May 8, 1906.

Little George Newton, the Cadillac boy who was said to have been kidnapped has found a home. Edward Vanden Berg of Zeeland, a brother-in-law of the city marshal, became much interested in the boy, brought him to Cadillac and urged Mrs. Newton to let him adopt the boy. The necessary business was transacted in the Probate court and now the boy has found a good home in Zeeland.

C. Klassen has taken a position in E. L. Leland's meat market at East Saugatuck.

Joseph Lord has purchased a house and lot on West Thirteenth street from R. H. Post.

Marine Westrate and family have moved here from New Holland. They live at 80 East Sixteenth.

Congressman G. J. Diekema has arranged to have the pupils of the Holland Christian school share in the distribution of seeds and a supply has been forwarded the trustees.

A. H. Mever of this city has opened a music store in Allegan and V. A. Washburn, manager, will act as agent for him. They have several graphophones on hand and several records for each kind. Also they will carry pianos, organs, and stringed instruments, and a complete line of the most popular music.

The fifth district convention of the W. C. T. U., comprising the counties of Ottawa, Allegan, Kent, and Ionia will be held in Spring Lake, April 28, 29 and 30 in the first Presbyterian church of that village. The convention will be very fortunate in having among its principal speakers Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens, of Portland, Maine, national president of the W. C. T. U., and Miss Anna Gordon, of Evanston, Ill. vice-president-at-large. Fine programs have been arranged for every session during the convention.

The mysterious disappearance of eight young maple trees from the premises of Joe Borgman in the southwestern part of the city, has been reported to the police. The trees were planted last fall on the vacant lot then owned by Andrew Vos, a Hope college student. Vos sold the lot to Mr. Borgman and when the latter went to inspect the premises he found that every tree had been uprooted and carted away. D. H. Clark, who sold the trees, says he knows the trees and can easily single them out when seen.

Congressman G. J. Diekema has been invited to take part in the campaign in Iowa for a week immediately after the adjournment of congress. The fight will be in the primaries and the contending parties are the Allison and the Cummins forces. The situation in Iowa has been made acute by the charges of bad faith on the part of Governor Cummins and the counter charges made by him against the Allison supporters. The prize for which the fight is being waged is the senatorial seat from Iowa. Mr. Diekema has been invited to join the Allison party.

Notice has been issued by Kirk E. Wicks, referee in bankruptcy that the final meeting of creditors in the bankruptcy proceedings of Edwin T. Pennoyer, will be held April 28 in Grand Rapids. The meeting will be for the purpose of passing upon the final report of the trustee which shows a balance of \$1136.52 on hand for distribution to consider and pass upon the petition of Louis H. Osterhouse for allowance of \$75 fees and expenses, for action upon contested claims for the purpose of declaring and ordering paid the final dividend. Pennoyer went broke in the Outler House at Grand Haven.

Liquor dealers of Michigan intending to furnish surety bonds for the year beginning May 1 will be relieved to learn that the organization of the Michigan Bonding and Surety company has been completed. Secretary A. F. Bunting has made the deposit required by the statute with the state treasurer and has received a license from Insurance commissioner Barry to transact business in the state. Liquor dealers may take out surety company bonds only in a Michigan company, and as the newly organized company is the only one in the state it will have a monopoly on the business.

April 30, the Royal Neighbors will have their real home coming at their new hall which they occupy in conjunction with the Modern Woodman of America. This hall is a credit to both organizations as both have taken pride in seeing that it has been improved and equipped in elaborate style. The Royal Neighbors merit particular praise as its members were never too busy with other duties to take an active part in cleaning and fixing up the place. But even in cleaning and scrubbing some of the Woodman equalled their work, and the combined efforts have resulted in exceptionally good arrangements. All neighbors should attend the April 30 entertainment and see the improvements.

R. H. Kimball has bought six lots in the West Park addition at Zeeland of Richard H. Post.

Contractor F. N. Jonkman will build the new parsonage for the First Christian Reformed church of Zeeland.

May 1, Peter Steketee will quit the Police force to resume his position on the Interurban railway. Pete is one of the best men on the force.

Hub Harrington, Jacob Lokker and John Miller took part in the services at the Grand Rapids City Mission last Friday evening.

The Board of Superintendents of the Western Theological Seminary will meet in Holland, Mich., May 14-15.

Herman Looman, a Blendon farmer is spending thirty days in the county jail because he did not insist upon sending his son to school. Others take warning.

Herman Vaupell formerly of this city has resigned his position as bookkeeper and cashier with the Sherwood & Griswold company of Allegan to enter the First State Bank of Allegan, has been succeeded by his cousin, James Westrate, of Grand Haven.

Patrolman John Wagner will resign from the police force May 11 to resume his position on the Interurban line. His record as a policeman is O. K. and with Pete Steketee's resignation results in taking two good men from the force.

Dr. Kremers and A. B. Bosman are gradually getting their island near the water works under cultivation. This year they offer ten or twelve families the free use of half acre tracts for the raising of potatoes.

Albert Northouse one of the best known and most respected residents of Grand Haven township died at his Rosy Mound home last Thursday night after a short illness with pneumonia. Mr. Northouse was born in Grand Haven township 55 years ago and his home at the time of his death was on the same section of land upon which his parents lived when he was born. The deceased has always been prominent in township affairs and had held various township offices. The Northouse family is an old and respected one in that vicinity and Mr. Northouse had many friends in Grand Haven as well as in the county.

Senator Depew has introduced a bill in congress to provide for the better security of life on certain water craft. It provides that after July 1 next every barge, scow, lighter or water craft, carrying one or more of crew, and navigating outside harbor limits shall be equipped with a substantial rail or life lines, on the outboard sides of the deck, extending fore and aft the full length of the vessel, and not less than three feet high from the deck. All such craft shall also be equipped with a life preserver of the kind approved by the board of supervising inspectors for each carried.

Beginning Thursday, April 24, the Story & Clark Piano Co., will start on a ten hour schedule. For the past few months this shop has been running eight hours a day and keeping the full force at work while men were out of work all over the country. However, business is increasing so rapidly at the factory that it has become necessary to lengthen the working time of the factory in order to keep up with the demands of the trade. At present there are about 240 men at work in the shop and the prospects are that more will be taken on before many weeks. This shop is at present, even running on the eight hour schedule, turning out about ten pianos every day and last week four carloads were shipped out. The Story & Clark factory has proved its worth this winter, as one of the best industries Grand Haven can claim. Few of the men were long without a job in this shop in spite of the hard times, even though the product is a luxury and an expensive one. There seems to have been a continued demand for pianos and where other shops had several hundred in stock when the hard times struck, the Story & Clark factory had not enough to supply the demand. Consequently as the demand continued moderately during the hard times the shop continued to run. Things have righted themselves, however, and this big shop will resume the activity it was enjoying before the flurry—G. H. Tribune.

Furnace Factory Damaged By Fire.

A rather serious fire started in the Holland Furnace Factory this morning at about 8:30 o'clock. The alarm was sounded and both fire departments responded to the call immediately. The scene of the fire being so far away, it had obtained quite a hold before the firemen could get at it with the hose.

The fire started in the machine room among the paint barrels from which the paint is dipped that is used in the plant. This department is near the office but luckily the firm's books were saved. G. C. Bowman, manager of the firm had hardly time to get out of the office. He hastily jammed the books into the safe and so saved them from being lost. But the letter files and all the furniture of the office were either burned or destroyed.

It was difficult for the firemen to get at the fire on account of the volumes of smoke that issued from the building. It lasted about two hours before they had it completely under control.

The foundry itself was not affected. The machine room and packing room are separated from the foundry by a brick wall, and the fire was confined to them.

The Holland Furnace Company is one of the most flourishing firms in the city. It was organized about a year and a half ago and during that time has gradually increased its business. About two months ago it added an L-shaped addition to the plant 121 x 171 x 85 feet. This is the part most damaged by the fire this morning.

The company was employing about 50 men. At the time of the fire there were some 200 furnaces completed or in process of construction in the building, but they were naturally but little damaged by the blaze.

The company is too well established to let the fire check its progress more than temporarily. The firm will immediately repair the damage and continue work with a full force.

For Alternate Delegate

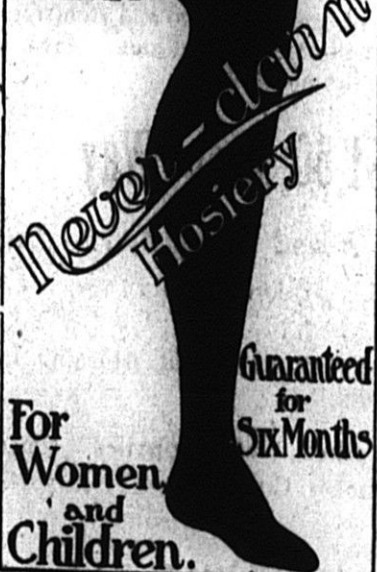
John B. Mulder, manager of De Grandwet, and for years a prominent figure in political circles, is the unanimous choice of Holland republicans for alternate delegate to the Republican national convention to be held in Chicago in June, and the 49 delegates elected to the county convention have been instructed to use all honorable means to further



his interests. The county convention will be held in Grand Haven tomorrow afternoon at which 13 delegates will be elected to the state convention to be held in Grand Rapids on May 12. If the nomination of J. B. is ratified in Grand Rapids everything of him will go to Chicago but the mustache.

A. J. Hoffman, manager of the Bernard McFadden, Physical Culture Institute of Battle Creek, is spending a short Easter vacation with relatives in Grand Haven. Mr. Hoffman was formerly day clerk at Hotel Macatawa and went from here to Grand Haven and then to the Post Tavern in Battle Creek. Mr. Hoffman, however, has always been more or less interested in the science of physical culture and he ultimately became connected with the work. He is a good office man with a great deal of good experience in his present line of work.

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Borculo.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith of Borculo will make their home in Zeeland in the near future. The young couple were pronounced husband and wife last week at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Diesenga, at North Blendon, by the Rev. J. B. Jonkman of Borculo.

Overisel.

Too Late for Last Week.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kollen this past week.

Last Thursday evening, Rev. G. Hekhuis was agreeably surprised by the teachers of the Sunday school. A very enjoyable evening was spent.

Mrs. Dangremond was in Holland last Tuesday.

Miss E. Dangremond was surprised by the members of the eighth and ninth grades of the village school, last Friday evening.

B. Voorhorst has been painting the interior of his store. It is very much improved.

Miss Agnes Voorhorst spent part of the week, with friends in Holland.

The funeral of Mrs. H. Boot took place last Friday at 2 o'clock in the Overisel church.

The Miss Hagelskamp, of Holland spent Easter with their parents in this place.

John Kleinheksel spent last Sunday in Holland with Rev. Boot.

The Misses Nykerk who are working in Holland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. Kortering.

Hamilton

Mrs. Borgman and two children of Battle Creek, are making an extended visit on the farm of George Burnett, near this village.

M. W. Palmer and son Merrit of Allegan were here two days last week making arrangements to store the former's beet digging machines.

Two small boys of our village while fishing at the dam last Saturday, pulled up a large sturgeon and while in the act of pulling it up the monster slipped off the net. The fish weighed about 200 pounds.

Miss Mary Peterham, formerly of this place but now of Allegan, visited her parents in this village over Sunday.

Henry Ensing has a lucrative position in Three Rivers clerking in a large store.

George Ensing, son of Gerrit Ensing of this village, is still confined in the hospital at Grand Rapids where he will remain one week more.

The Hamilton R. R. station was burglarized last Saturday night, 56 cents in pennies and six razors were taken, evidently the work of amateurs.

Miss Fannie Ensing left last Friday for Grand Rapids for an indefinite stay with relatives.

Garret Rutgers of near Diamond Springs was buried in the Bethlehem cemetery last Friday, and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Klomprens attended the funeral.

Lutgen & Hagelskamp last Friday received a carload of fine lumber for their planing mill in this village.

Mrs. Jacob Oosterhouse was in Grand Rapids last Thursday and Friday on business.

East Saugatuck.

John Bartles of Holland was the guest of J. Vork and family Sunday.

Ben Plasger and Miss Cora Tripp were united in marriage last Wednesday afternoon by Rev. J. Manni at the bride's home. After the marriage a bountiful supper was served and in the evening a reception was given to their young friends.

The farmers in this vicinity are busy sowing oats and planting fruit trees which shows they are not going to give up raising fruit.

The meat wagons from Hamilton are making tri-weekly trips through here now, which enables the farmers to get fresh meat.

Garrit Lenters and Senna Hamburg were united in marriage last Friday evening at the bride's home by Rev. J. Manni, only the immediate relatives being present.

The neighbors of R. Lemmen took his goods to the depot Tuesday to be shipped to Fremont. Mr. Lemmen and family left Wednesday.

Herman Ortman is badly affected with salt rheum on his face.

The infant child of G. Wedeven is on the sick list.

Ben Hulst will work for B. Seblink this season.

Mrs. Wm. Haverdink is on the sick list.

Miss Helen Keen is slowly recovering from her illness.

Crisp.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Schemper—a boy.

Peter Brandsen recently purchased forty acres of land of John Berkompas.

Albert Arnoldink and family went to Holland last week Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Arnoldink's sister, Mrs. Lane Hamerling.

The three youngest children of K. Schemper are on the sick list. Dr. Henry Nienhuis, who recently graduated from the Veterinary college at Grand Rapids has set up his office at Crisp. He can be seen on the road every day as there are many sick cattle around here.

Last week Friday afternoon the farmers of this neighborhood gathered at the home of Ed Hemmeke to help him raise his new barn.

We don't see many farmers going to town now days as they are all busy sowing oats.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coster of Holland, visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mulder, last Sunday.

Miss Maggie Nienhuis who has been working in Holland during the winter has returned home.

John Hop, Sr., has returned from his trip to the Netherlands. He says he enjoyed the trip very much.

Miss Jennie Roo of Lynden, Washington, spent a few days visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

The Misses Jennie and Gertie Arends of Holland spent Sunday at home.

Miss Minnie Boes of Zeeland, spent Sunday with her parents.

William Achterhof who has been working in Holland for a few months has returned home to work on his father's farm during the summer.

New Holland.

Miss Nettie Brouwer, aged 35, died very suddenly Saturday after an illness of a few days. She was in good health up to two weeks ago when she took cold which grew worse rapidly, causing her death. She is survived by a mother three brothers and one sister. The funeral was held Wednesday from the Reformed church, Rev. J. Wessink officiating.

Allendale.

John Horling died Friday with paralysis of the heart, while sitting in his chair. The funeral was held Tuesday.

D. W. Robertson a former supervisor who has traded his farm for Grand Rapids property is moving this week.

Tony Rose who suffered a slight stroke of paralysis is improving slowly.

The Allendale Grange had a lunch Saturday evening after their regular meeting. They presented their former Secretary, Chas. T. Bachman, with a gold pen.

ZEELAND

Joeannes Zwagerman is remodeling his residence on the Fairview road, and when completed it will be one of the largest and finest homes on that thoroughfare.

Louis P. McKay's pupils gave their spring piano recital at the home of Miss Kate Fox Monday evening.

John P. Van Gelderen has moved from West Lincoln street to the farm of Jacob De Jong near Noordeloos, recently vacated by Johannes Kouw. The residence vacated by Mr. Van Gelderen was recently purchased by Henry Vande Bunte who has moved his family there from the rooms over the store of M. C. VerHage.

Harry Vande Pels is erecting a fine concrete blacksmith shop on the site of the old one on Washington street.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Bor of Herried, S. D., a baby girl. Mrs. Bor was formerly Miss Anna Bouma of this city.

In connection with his confectionery and cigar store, George Meyer has commenced the work of cleaning, pressing and repairing clothing.

Abram J. Van Hoven has moved from North Centennial street to West Main street in the house recently vacated by Wm. Noordhuis.

Herman Stobbelaar is home from Ann Arbor, spending his spring vacation with his mother. Mr. Stobbelaar is taking a course

in dentistry at the U. of M.

Mr. W. D. Vander Werp has returned after a month's treatment at the Butterworth hospital at Grand Rapids, and is much improved in health.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Bouwkamp Saturday.

Wm. Ossewaarde went to Chicago on business.

D. De Jong of Bocuio was in town Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Ed Schilleman who has been seriously ill is improving.

T. Van Tuinen of Grand Rapids is visiting his brother J. Van Tuinen on McKinley street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Boyink of Grand Haven spent Easter with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Mulder.

Mr. and Mrs. Kouw and family of New Holland moved in the house on the corner of Michigan avenue.

Andries Bakker was in Holland visiting relatives the first of the week.

Wm Poest was in Holland Tuesday on business.

Mrs. James Fellers and children from Ottawa Station are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hattersley on McKinley street this week.

James Mulder has returned from North Dakota where he was a year working as a teacher, and is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Mulder.

Lokker Talks Interestingly

Starting from the time when a mere lad, he had patiently presided over the old fashioned hand dash churn and pumped away until his arms ached, and seemed ready to drop off, up to the present time, when there appears, little chance left for improvement in the up-to-date modern methods, C. J. Lokker, led about 150 members of the Merchants' association through the various details of the butter making industry and gave one of the most interesting and instructive addresses ever heard at a meeting of the organization.

Mr. Lokker carefully explained the system of manufacture by the latest creamery methods as compared with the old and laborious way, and pointed out the only real difference between dairy and creamery varieties as being the uneven coloring and variegated flavoring of the one and the ever uniformity of the other. He touched on the farmer's view point of the creamery, and how hard it was at first to convince the suspicious tiller of the soil that all was fair and square in the creamery, that there was no poison used to separate the cream from the milk, and that there was more money in selling their milk than in making their own butter. He explained too, how the creamery people were ever on the alert to discover unsanitary dairy farms and were doing more than any outside the state inspectors department at Lansing, would believe, to educate the farmer toward bettering his condition. He declared that the farmer is fast awakening to the boon the creamery is to him and would not be without it after once being convinced of its true worth.

About Process Butter

In connection with his description of the workings of the machinery in a creamery, Mr. Lokker explained the manufacture of "process butter," which until a short time ago was frequently offered as creamery butter, but which now is sold only as "process butter" under penalty of arrest fixed by state law. The "process article" is old, rancid, stale and undesirable dairy butter worked over for its butter fats which is then worked again with the sweet milk, then soured the residue and made butter in the ordinary way.

As to the financial end of the business, Mr. Lokker declared that it was due largely to the improved transportation facilities that the large and many creameries of today were possible. He explained that there was an ever ready market in New York, Chicago and other points for the finished product where a few years ago it would have been impossible to try and dispose of any great quantity of butter. He said too that it was due to the unvarying uniformity of the creamery product that there was such a market away from home, otherwise the big buyers, commission men, and retailers would not take chances. He said that the biggest job now was to get the milk coming in and that the out put was assured of an ever ready market.

Mr. Lokker described the methods of testing milk for water, butter fat, impurities and possible diseased cattle. This was a particularly interesting part of his address. To those who had an idea that creamery butter was made from sweet cream he had a surprise, assuring his hearers that the creamery man employed a patent premature souring mixture called a "starter" which made the sweet com-

modity just the right consistency of sourness to make the best of butter. On the absolute cleanliness of creamery machinery and methods, Mr. Lokker dwelt at length and declared that his hobby was a strictly clean sanitary plant.

All in all, Mr. Lokker's address was an exceptionally interesting discourse and he very ably handled the topic assigned him. During his talk he invited questions or any phase of the creamery business and several took advantage of this opportunity.

Black River Snags.

Two committee reports last night will be especially pleasing to boat lovers of Holland. One was the report of Jacob Lokker, chairman of the committee appointed to see to the removal of old snags and dead heads from Black river up as far as the Island. Mr. Lokker had much progress to report and said that already 40 dangerous spiles had been sawed off and aside from removing the partially submerged scow at the mouth of the stream, navigation now is perfectly safe.

A few were in favor of removing the spiles further up the river but it is claimed that the spawning bed of fish would be hurt and anyway funds were only voted for work being done as far as the island. Mr. Lokker is an enthusiastic launch owner and he has worked hard to make boating on this picturesque river safe and pleasant. He says that the old sunken scow will be blasted out within a few days now.

Capt. Austin Harrington, chairman of the committee to look up the launch dock proposition for Fifth street was able to report much progress and said that at present it was practically up to the council to make some arrangements with the Scott-Luggers Lumber Co., before anything could be accomplished.

Enjoyable Spread.

It was at the refreshment part of the evening that everyone took a prominent part and did justice to the good things set out to eat. The cream was especially appropriate to the occasion as it was a worthy example of the kind turned out by the Crystal people.

Just as chairs were being drawn up to the banquet board a shout went up as the "new and the old mayors," accompanied by the incoming and retiring aldermen, City Attorney Mc Bride and Attorney Cornelius Vander Meulen were ushered in by President Van Tongeren, himself one of the new city daddies.

Jacob Lokker Toastmaster

One who has had the pleasure of attending a meeting of this association is always sure of enjoying these little informal gatherings and with lighted cigars tilted comfortably against the walls, members and guests last night just settled down to an hour's keen enjoyment.

There was ex-Mayor Van Putten who spoke briefly on the past, present and future life of this city, Mayor Brusse who spoke his appreciation of his evening's entertainment, and various association members who talked on various subjects or told a story or two.

City Attorney Mc Bride and Attorney Vander Meulen added largely to the evening's entertainment with inspiring, cheerful words; words of praise for the merchants who were working unitedly for the city's betterment and for the friendship exhibited toward one another.

John Vandersluis took occasion to urge a goodly turnout to the joint association and board of trade meeting Thursday night when the visiting committee from the Grand Rapids Advertiser's Club comes here. A committee was appointed to assist in the entertainment of the visitors and boom enthusiasm for the occasion.

Real Estate Transfers.

Gerrit Kruythof to Dries Vander Poppen, 20 acres of section 27, Overisel, \$750.

Clarissa Dyer to Joseph Parkhurst and wife jointly, 5 acres of section 34, Allegan, \$1, love and affection.

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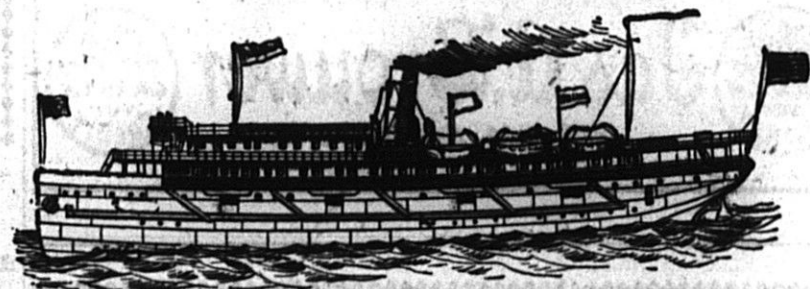
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Before an audience that filled the spacious council chambers to overflowing, many even standing in the hall, craning their necks to get a glimpse at the "doings" Henry Brusse elected on the Democratic ticket, took the oath of office, bowed, smiled, flushed with genuine pleasure as a mammoth bouquet of American beauty roses were brought in and set at his side, sat down and waded into business like an old stager. Herman Van Tongeren, from the First, Arthur Drinkwater of the Second, Nicholas Prakken of the Third, William Lawrence of the Fourth and Dirk Jellema, from the Fifth ward, were the new aldermen and they too fell in line as though they had been long at the game.

While the council session opened in regulation fashion and the grist of routine business was ground out, there was a sort of hushed expectancy about the room and then after about twenty minutes of work Mayor Van Putten reached a point where annual messages were in order, said "I guess that's me," thrust his hand in his inside coat pocket and fished out an official looking document. Clerk Van Eyck read the message, turned it over to the mayor for his final official signature, who with the retiring councilmen quitted their seats for their successors. The first thing Mayor Brusse did after taking the oath was to follow suit of the retiring mayor, by going down in that inside pocket after his inaugural address. Attached to his message were the following standing committee appointments:

Retiring Mayor's Message.

Gentlemen of the Council:

In view of the courtesy shown me the past two years by all the members of the Council, I cannot relinquish the duties of the office of mayor, without once more expressing my thanks to you for your kindness and consideration during my two

years made up, and it is a record in no way insignificant, it is perhaps improper to so much as presume to make recommendations for the future. Officers on the point of surrendering their positions to others should not be too free in advising their successors. But there is a certain connection between the works of two Councils, and there is a certain thread of continuity in all public affairs that must not be ignored. It is therefore, after all, very appropriate for the retiring Council to urge upon the new Council the completion of work well begun. The city must not go backward in any particular, and the undertakings must be carried on to completion. I know of only one reservation, and that is, while the past six or seven years have been prosperous, the outlook at present is not rosy, and the matter of public improvements must be carefully handled. Now, if ever, the most stringent economy must be practiced.

At the last election, the matter of closing the saloons was referred to the voters, and the answer given by the people has no doubtful ring. The large majority against saloons shows that public sentiment is strongly in favor of enforcing the anti-saloon laws. And while the action was taken while this Council was in office, and the duty of enforcing it devolves upon the new Council, I trust that we all will urge the strictest enforcement of the new ordinance against saloons. This is a matter of the greatest importance. Every good citizen favors enforcement of laws, and a law of such radical importance as the said ordinance should be enforced before all other laws.

And now, fellow members of the Common Council, while public office has its pleasures as well as its duties and responsibilities, it is nevertheless with pleasure that we resign our seats to worthy successors, committing our unfinished work to their care, and our beloved City to their keeping.

Permit me at this time to express my thanks to you for your indulgence toward me as your presiding officer, and to the citizens of Holland for the trust reposed in me during so many years of public life.

MAYOR J. G. VAN PUTTEN

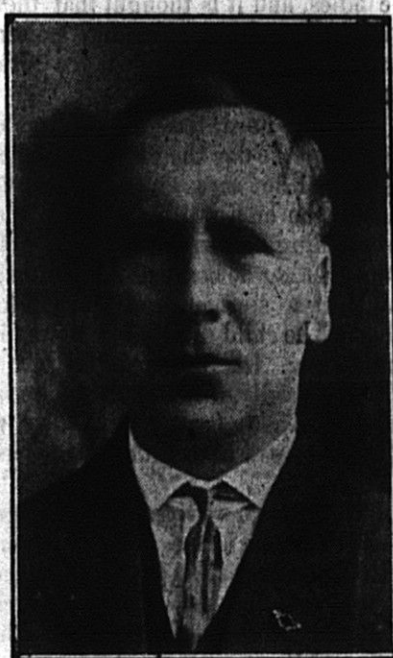
Brusse's Inaugural Address.

To the Honorable Council of the City of Holland, gentlemen:

It is with a feeling of diffidence that I assume the duties of the office of the Mayor of the city of Holland. The chief executive of Holland at the present time has much work before him, and it is work that demands the best efforts of good citizenship. Almost all of us desire to be good citizens, but when it becomes a question of crystallizing our ideas, of citizenship into laws and official actions, the widest experienced in public affairs is necessary. While not boasting of much experience in public affairs, I am confident that, with the good will of the council and the interests of the city constantly in view, we shall be able to accomplish our task with honor if not with glory.

In considering the bonded debt of the city, total \$183,000 we must not lose sight of the valuable public property. The city lighting plant is our most valuable asset. According to the books of the city, the plant last year made a clear profit of \$7878, which is about 8 1/2 per cent on a capital of \$89,000. If the lighting plant were sold and a reasonable franchise granted, judging from the methods of bonding private corporations of a similar nature, the plant would bring

enough to wipe out our entire bonded debt. I make the foregoing statement only to show the comparative insignificance of our debts as compared with our assets. Besides our lighting plant we have the water works, sewer system and fire department, all valuable property. The idea of debt is unpleasant to all, but it is true that a city that does not go into debt does



MAYOR HENRY BRUSSE

not amount to much.

I have nothing but praise for our predecessors in office, but since October 1907, financial and industrial conditions have so changed, that it seems necessary in our conduct of public affairs, to establish a system of the most rigid economy. Times are hard and work for the toiling masses is becoming scarcer. Next fall the taxes will have to be paid and unless the situation improves, which is very doubtful, there will be considerable difficulty in meeting the taxes. In my opinion a conference of the council with the different official boards of the city should be held at an early date, to consider the question of husbanding the resources of the city, and of devising ways of economizing for the present, and to consider the question of making certain public improvements with the view of furnishing work and means of support to the unemployed. If public works are undertaken now they will cost less than a year ago, and at the same time give employment to those now without work or to those who will be out of employment in the near future.

A new departure has been made this year in dealing with the saloon question. The proposition to pass an ordinance to suppress the open licensed saloon was submitted to the vote of the citizens, and the result of the vote was practically 500 majority in favor of the proposition. This clears the matter from all doubt, and the ordinance has already been enacted. We are now confronted with the question of enforcing the law. The matter of enforcing laws is always comparatively easy when the sentiment of a large majority is favorable, and such seems to be the case with the anti-saloon ordinance. Of course, a law of that kind involves so great a change from the former policy, renders necessary the greatest vigilance, in fact not the minutest violation should be tolerated. Every citizen should feel himself a committee of one to seek its enforcement and should report violations to the authorities so that the police department can have from the public assistance so necessary for all good government.

The official reports of the board of public works, police and fire commissioners, the board of health, school board, park board and library board from time to time, with complete reports annually. They need no further mention here, only would say that these men devote much of their valuable time and energy gratis to the management of these various institutions in this city. These boards have performed their duties faithfully and are certainly entitled to a vote of thanks from the community.

At the beginning of this council it seems to me proper to submit for your consideration certain recommendations, in my opinion warranted by present circumstances:

First. I would recommend that only a sufficient amount of money be allowed to keep our parks in good condition, and nothing more.

Second. Would recommend that our street sprinkling be done by private subscription only and not as before.

Third. I would desire to have the council call the attention of the board of health to the obnoxious public nuisance in the vicinity of the Holland Sugar Co.

Fourth. Would recommend that as soon as the electric light bonds are disposed of, that immediate steps be taken to proceed to extend our lighting system to the outlying districts.

Fifth. The extension of our sewer system in the fifth ward, especially where surface water has caused so much damage and inconvenience to the residents of those portions.

Sixth. Would recommend the extension of our sewer system on Eighth street west of River street, and the paving of said part of Eighth street with suitable raise of grade at Pine street.

Seventh. Also the paving of parts of Central avenue.

Eighth. The grading and graveling of streets and avenues when petitioned for, by those liable for the special assessments to pay the cost of the improvements.

Ninth. I further recommend that in making public improvements, due regard be had to the employment of our own local citizens as against those residing in other places. These recommendations I make having in view that at the present time, material for public improvements is cheaper, as mentioned heretofore, and also on account of the serious state of affairs due to the business depressions. If we do not make improvements this summer we shall be obliged to take care of the unfortunate unemployed at a great expense to the city and naturally the burden will have to be borne by the taxpayers.

In conclusion would say, at the beginning of the new municipal year it behooves us to make haste slowly. Times and conditions are not what they were, and in whatever we do we must deliberate carefully and conservatively, and act wisely. In the performance of our public duties we need all the wisdom obtainable and we can utilize the experience of our predecessors to advantage.

As your presiding officer I will be in need of your constant assistance and I hope that you will bear with patience my shortcomings as a parliamentarian. Let us work together for the interests of our city and I am sure that we will perform our official duties to the satisfaction of the public.

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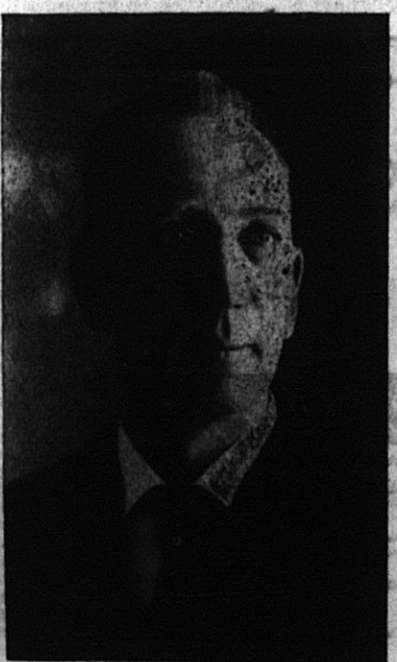
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terms as mayor. It is admitted that the last two years in our city's history have been years of activity and progress, and that may new and perplexing problems have been met and solved. It is not strange that in doing things, difference of opinion develops; but in spite of disagreements, we have preserved in the Council the spirit of harmony and mutual forbearance. This is as it should always be in deliberative assemblies, and it is gratifying that we have been harmonious and active in our deliberations.

With the record of the last two

The Jack Snipe.

Dedicated to Will Thomas and Chas. Harmon. Scene on Klein-hexel's meadow midway between the Pere Marquette track and the Water works.

When the young grass is peeping through the meadow
And the turtle comes a crawling from his bed
When the red-wing is swinging from the cat-tail
And the wild goose goes honking over head,
Then 'tis "Krake! Krake! Krake!"
And he flies like the winding of a snake.
And a "Bang!" And a "Bing!"
And the whirring of his wing
Makes music like the ripples of the lake.

Oh! 'Tis great to go a stumbling through the rushes
And down in the mud up to your thigh,
When just at that moment—There he flushes!

AND YOU'RE SHOOTING AT NOTHING BUT THE SKY!

There he goes just as if he had a jag
Ziggy zaggy Ziggy zaggy zag!
You may fume and you may fuss
You may make a wicked muss
You'll never get that Jack Snipe in your bag!

Ho! Tom, let me pull you out that pugh hole!
Why Man! You're as dirty as a pig!
The Jack Snipe? Why he's up there in the heavens,
Don't you hear the merry whistle of his jig!

Then 'tis "Whirl! Whirl! Whirl!"
Down! He's falling! "Don't you stir!"
"Don't you stir!"
Pshaw! He's dancing on a cloud
And he's singing long and loud
"I am happy now! Goodbye! Excuse me Sir!"

J. T. Bergen.

Grit Will Win.

Grit will win every time, and that is why "Cliff" Thompson will succeed.

First he worked at the plumber's trade and soon got far enough ahead to get a business of his own. Then his inventive brain evolved a patent closet tank and he organized a company to manufacture the contrivance.

It was hard pegging for a little while, but the patent was good, steady grinding told, and success was looming large just ahead when the fire came along last week and turned the dial backwards. Some men would lay down and say "I'm whipped." Not so Cliff Thompson. He says, "I'll buckle to it and build right away. There is a demand for the supply of the Central Manufacturing company and I'll see that the demand is supplied. The factory will be running again soon."

That's the spirit that makes cities and states flourish. Grit will win. "Cliff" Thompson has grit.

Better Pay For Teachers.

We are glad to see the State legislatures waking up to the need of better pay for the school teachers. Within the past twelve months several of them have passed laws increasing the compensation materially and placing a minimum so that an accomplished young woman teaching in the humblest school may now have the proud satisfaction of receiving somewhat better wages than a day laborer. In many, but not all of the large cities, the pay is much better than it was, and it is safe to say that within the next year or so the situation will be improved in every part of the country. Of course, the best that is done will be less than what should be done, but it is a good sign and a welcome promise that the most competent and least compensated of our public servants are receiving attention from those who handle the people's money.—Coopersville Observer.

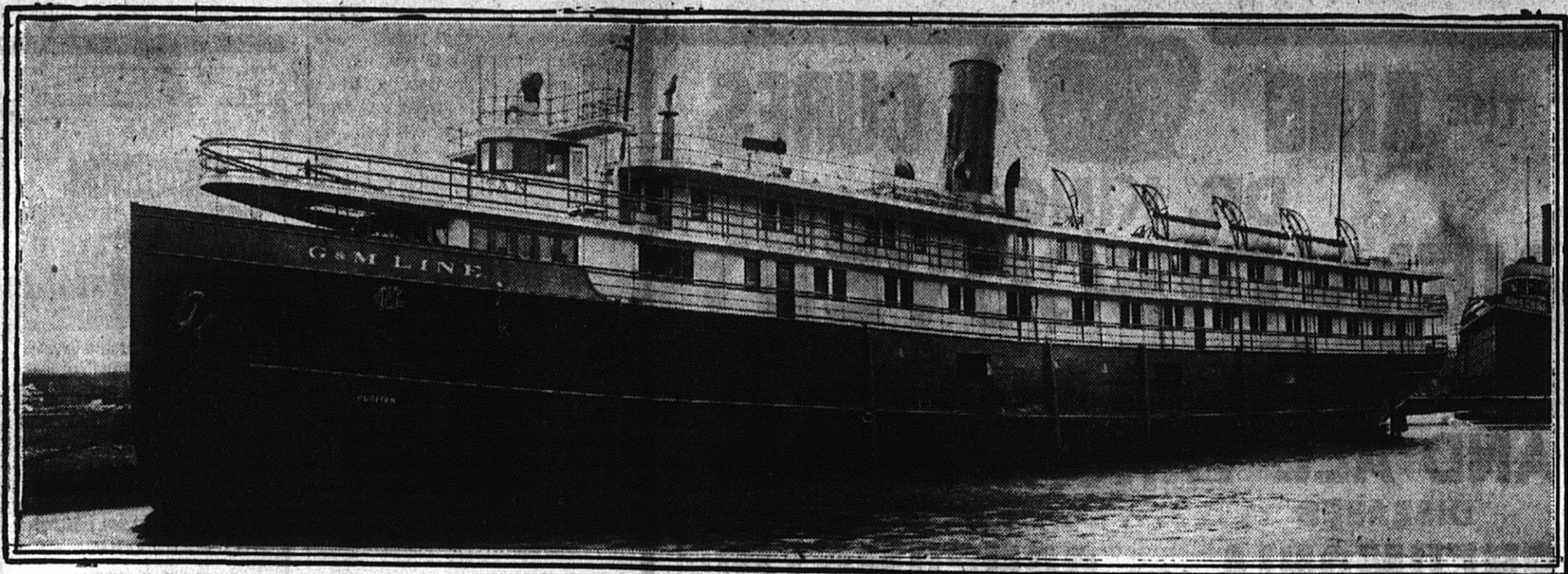
As the St Lawrence River has been dredged to a depth of 30 feet for a distance of 1000 miles, what is the matter with providing a deep channel in the Mississippi at a similar moderate cost?

According to a well known agricultural publication the average condition of winter wheat April 1 was 90.2, against 88.1 a year ago, and 85 for the last ten year. This is the sort of encouragement that counts.

Germany's big armored cruiser just launched, the Bluecher, will cost \$6,915,000, but another has been designed, to be fitted with turbines, that calls for \$10,000,000. The modern jump in the outlay on single ships requires careful figuring on the part of the watchdogs of the treasury

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The Remodeled Steamer Puritan.

WHAT YOU SAW IN THIS PAPER 35 Years ago To-day.

Burglarly—On Thursday evening last, J. Van Landegend's hardware store was entered and goods to the amount of about \$100 taken. Among the articles stolen were 3 revolvers, 2 dozen German silver spoons, 3 boxes of carpenters' rules, one carving knife and fork, and several other small articles. The entrance was effected through a cellar window.

IRON ORE

We are glad to learn that a competent committee has been appointed by the Citizens' Association to thoroughly examine the iron beds near this city. As yet no definite conclusion has been arrived at as to the probable amount of the ore in this city.

From a partial examination which we made some years since, we are confident that a larger quantity exists there than is generally supposed by our neighbors, and of a quality, as proved by those who have used it at the Lawton Iron Works, far superior to much that is being used in other parts of the country. It is easy of access and can, with but little expense, be delivered in a furnace.

WHAT YOU SAW 30 YEARS AGO.

The immense amount of rainfall during this week has caused considerable damage along the river, and some roads are badly washed out. The piece of road made last summer near the Laarman farm is badly damaged and washed out and all along Black river the low bottoms are flooded and thousands of rails and other property has been washed away. The extent of the damage cannot be estimated yet. The debris coming down the river endangered the railroad and other bridges. The railroad bridge of the Mich. Lake Shore road has been damaged and moved by the current and is scarcely able to bear the movement of trains.

WHAT YOU SAW 20 YEARS AGO

Tomorrow, Sunday, the new German Lutheran church of this city will be dedicated with appropriate services at 10 o'clock a. m. Rev. A. Klein of the Lutheran church of Niles, Mich., will conduct the exercises and preach the sermon. In the afternoon at 3 o'clock Rev. Dr. Steffens will deliver a sermon in the English language, while in the evening at 7 o'clock services in the Holland language will be conducted by Rev. John of Graafschap.

Last Saturday night a serious fire occurred in Graafschap by which three buildings belonging to H. Brunick, Geo. Rutgers and J. Flieman were burned, entailing a loss of \$2,500, with no insurance. The fire started in some unaccountable way in the blacksmith shop of Jacob Flieman, who with his wife, was in this city. The fire rapidly spread to the adjoining buildings, among which was a dwelling house occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Flieman, who saved only what clothes they had on while in this city. The loss falls rather heavily on them.

As Sheriff Woltman arrived home from a short peregrination on last Thursday night he discovered among his mail a letter sent from the southern part of the state which gave him information in regard to the plunder taken from the store of A. Steketee last October by burglars. He came here on Wednesday morning and in company with Marshal Vaupell went on a tour of investigation. They proceeded to the freight house of the Chicago & West Mich. Ry. and after a thorough search underneath the building came across a portion of a grain bag which just protruded out of the earth. After digging for a short time they unearthed two bags which were filled with silks and velvets to the value of about \$150. The plunder was taken to Mr. Steketee's store and identified by him as his property. Sheriff Woltman was very conservative

about giving any information, but suffice to say he created the impression in our minds that he would have the thieves in a short time.

WHAT YOU SAW 15 YEARS AGO

The council of Hope college will convene in regular session on Wednesday of next week. Among the prominent matters that will demand their attention will be the election of a permanent president of the institution, and the amending of the constitution, with reference to the constituency of its own members. As now organized the council of Hope college is a body of twenty-two, all ministers of the gospel, with the exception of three or four.

It is reported that the remains of the steamer Ironsides, which sunk west of Grand Haven harbor some twenty three years ago, have risen and washed up on the beach. The recent storm is credited with having done the work.

WHAT YOU SAW 10 YEARS AGO.

Rev. A. Zwemer, pastor of the Reformed church at Spring Lake, has retired from the active duties of the pastorate and will at an early date move to this city and make it his home. It was forty years ago this month that he was ordained as a minister of the gospel in the Reformed church at Vriesland. He and Rev. G. J. Nykerk of Overisel were the first to graduate from a Theol. seminary which then existed only in hope and prayer.

REMEMBER THE MAINE!

The Spanish minister at Washington applied for his passport. It was issued and he has left Washington.

The American minister at Madrid was given his passport before applying for it.

These events are equivalent to a declaration of war.

The army and the fleet are being mobilized and from now on their movements will be less public.

The President is about to issue a call for 100,000 volunteers. Their organization in the different states will be on the same plan of '61.

Congress is devising ways and means to carry on the war. American sentiment is a unit as to the righteousness of our cause.

The ultimatum sent to Spain fixes upon Saturday, at noon, as the latest in which to relinquish its authority over Cuba.

Police Department

Tabulated Statement of the doings of the police department from June 1, 1907, up to and including March 16, 1908. Cases disposed of in the city:

Number of arrests 175, fines and costs \$728.75, bound over to circuit court 6, peddling without license 1, sentence suspended 25, drunks 72, disorderlies 28, common prostitute 1, allowing females in saloon 2, violating Sunday law 5, selling liquor to habitual drunkard 1, violation liquor law 1, burglarly 3, larceny 16, shop-lifting 1, assault and battery 9, arson 1, auto speeding 5, obtaining money under false pretenses 1, jumping board bill 2, arrested on suspicion 1, bigamy 1, forgery 2, allowing students in pool room 1, loitering 4, using profane language 2, trespass 0, illegal cohabitation 2, wife desertion 1, non-support 2, gambling 1, rape 1, vagrancy 6, committed to county jail 17, to Detroit House of Correction 5 to insane asylum at Kalamazoo 1.

Arrested and held for outside parties:

Oct. 15 to sheriff of Charlotte 1
Dec. 5 " " Allegan 2
Nov. 3 " " Grand Rps. 4
" 3 " " Allegan 1
" 11 " " Kalispel, Mont. 1
Feb. 10 " " Benton Harbor 1

Turned over to county agent 3.

Broke jail and escaped 1.

Number of special policeman engaged during fiscal year 17.

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DEATHS

MISS LILITH FORD

The home of Mr. and Mrs. George Ford, 236 West Ninth street is shrouded in gloom by the sudden and sad death of their 11-year old daughter, Lilith, which occurred a little after midnight last Friday night.

Lilith had been in her usual good health until 12 hours before her death and the symptoms of her short sickness pointed to the presence of some acute poison in her system. She ate nothing unusual during the day excepting some patent breath candies, and it is thought that there might have been something poisonous in the coloring substance used on the candy.

George Ford, the father, was in Chicago the day the child was taken sick and he says that during the afternoon he had a premonition that something was wrong at home. In the evening he boarded the Graham & Morton steamer and started for home. The child died when he was in midlake. His brother-in-law, Capt. Frank VanRy, met him at the dock, and it was a hard task indeed to break the sad news to the bereaved father.

The funeral services which were held from the house Monday afternoon, were attended by a large number of the friends. Capt. Boswell and the members of the crew of the steamer Puritan attended in a body. Mr. Ford is the private detective of the Graham & Morton company.

A post mortem was held under charge of Coroner Mabbs.

WILLIAM NEUSCHAFER

The death of William Neuschaffer occurred last Monday evening after a week's illness of pneumonia.

Mr. Neuschaffer was 42 years of age and lived in this city for the last sixteen years. He formerly lived in Ionia. For 16 years he was employed as boiler maker at the Waverly round house of the Pere Marquette railway and during that time had an exceptional record as an excellent workman. He was well liked by his fellow employees, and they were shocked to hear of his comparatively sudden death. A widow and two children survive.

The funeral services were held this morning at St. Francis church, Rev. Father Corbett officiating.

MISS MAGGIE HOEDEMA

Miss Maggie Hoedema died at the home of her mother on the north side last Saturday night after a long illness of consumption. Her age was 22 years and four months. She was formerly employed in Albert Hidding's grocery store, and was very popular among her associates. The funeral services were held at the West Olive church Tuesday afternoon, Rev. De Lange of West Olive and Rev. D. R. Drukker of Holland officiating.

GUSTAV KNUTSON.

Mrs. Gustav Knutson aged 43 years died Tuesday at the Kalamazoo Asylum of which institution she has been an inmate for the past eight years. Her death followed an attack of pneumonia. She is survived by her husband, a daughter and a son Charles. The funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of Jacob Knutson, 247 West Twelfth street.

To the County Convention To-Morrow.

The republican caucus to elect delegates to the county convention at Grand Haven next Friday, was held in the Manting building on River St. Monday night was poorly attended. The full quota of 49 delegates were elected.

These will journey to the Haven on the 1:04 train Friday to elect 13 delegates to the Republican state convention to be held in Grand Rapids, May 12.

The delegates last night were instructed to use all honorable means to further the interests of J. B. Mulder as alternate delegate to the National Convention to be held at Chicago in June.

The result of last night's caucus is as follows:

First ward, J. B. Mulder acted as chairman, M. A. Sooy, secretary. Delegates are as follows: E. J. Harrington, J. B. Mulder, Harry R. Doesburg, Hans Dykhuis, Nelson Stanton, M. A. Sooy, Arthur Van Duren, R. N. De Merrell, John Schouten, Jacob Lokker, Con De Pree, R. Elsey, Dr. J. A. Mabbs.

Second ward: chairman, F. Brieve and Peter De Spelder, secretary. Delegates are R. Drinkwater, F. Brieve, J. D. Schoon, John Vanden Berg, Peter De Spelder.

Third ward: G. Van Scheleven, chairman and Jerry Laepple, secretary. Delegates are G. Van Schelven, C. Vander Meulen, N. Dykema, Chris. Nibbelink, E. P. Stephan, H. Geerlings C. H. Mc Bride, B. D. Keppel, R. A. Zanting, Geo. E. Kollen, Nick Kammeraad, and Peter Brusse.

Fourth ward, Dick Vander Hart, chairman and Simon Kleyn, secretary. Delegates are J. F. Van Aanrooy, Simon Kleyn, A. J. Westerveer, Dick Van Der Hart, H. Pelegim, W. Lawrence, John A. Vander Veen, C. M. McLean, Austin Harrington and George Lage.

Fifth ward are C. Steketee chairman and H. Van der Warf, secretary. Delegates are N. J. Whelan, Al Hidding, H. Van der Warf, C. Steketee, R. Overweg, Harry Huntley, John Van Wieren, Will Witt and H. S. Bosch.

Seminary News

Students will represent the Seminary next Sunday as given: B. Rottschaler, Three Oaks; G. J. Pennings, 1st Zeeland; C. VanderSchoor, North Holland; A. Stegenga, Ebenezer; Dr. Dubbink, Gelderland.

The Adelpic Society was held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Dubbink. At that meeting Rev. Blekkink read the fourth and last lecture of Dr. A. Oltmans on Japan. Dr. Oltmans could not read it himself because he is staying in New York.

Next Tuesday evening the society will hold the last meeting of the year at the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. J. Veltman.

Ford Saves Woman

But for the timely arrival of Geo. Ford, private detective for the Graham & Morton Transportation Co., Mrs. Ed. Kolan, of Benton Harbor, a visitor at Macatawa Park would have lost her life from suffocation in the mud bottom of a small creek on the Graafschap road yesterday.

Mrs. Kolan is the wife of Ed Kolan steward of the steamer Puritan and a guest at the L. Dangremond home near the bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford were visitors at the same place. Yesterday Mrs. Kolan started in search of water cress and in some manner slipped, falling head first into the stream, burying her face and head in the mud. It happened that Mr. Ford and the ladies were strolling along in the same direction taken by Mrs. Kolan. They, however had heard no outcry nor witnessed the unfortunate woman's fall. Going on ahead of the rest George Ford came suddenly on the prostrate form of Mrs. Kolan. Her face was under water and her hair afloat. It was but the work of a minute for Mr. Ford to lift the strangling women's form from the muddy stream.

Mrs. Kolan would have died in a few minutes but for Mr. Ford's appearance.

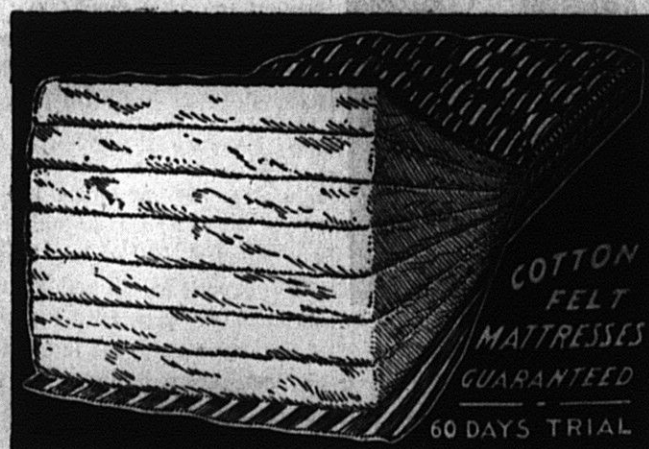
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The choir of Hope church did it self credit last Sunday morning at Easter services. People from other cities have often on other occasions remarked on the music of the Hope church choir and Sunday they again vindicated their claim to being entitled to all the good things said about it. Under the leadership of Prof. Nykerk the choir has gradually come to be one of the finest of its kind. The pulpit had been decorated with ferns and flowers that expressed the beautiful spirit of Hope that the contemplation of the resurrection of the Christ inspires. Dr. Dubbink preached the Easter sermon, firm in its logic and filled with conviction. Taken all in all the services were in beautiful harmony with the Easter season. The solos of Miss Estelle Kollen and Miss Helene Keppel were especially appropriate and well rendered. Mr. Bernie DeVries gave a violin solo that added much to the effect of the music.

Rev. Dr. John A. Otte, a graduate of Hope college, recently commemorated the twentieth anniversary of his residence in China. Dr. Otte is one of the veteran missionaries sent out by the Reformed church and his work in China has been productive of good results. In a recent letter he states that during the past year he wrote 892 letters to friends outside of his port, of which only 300 were duplicates, besides 400 notes dispatched to persons living in and about Amoy. Dr. Otte writes interestingly about his work in connection with the two hospitals, Wilhelmina and Hope. During the year they cared for 1,894 patients; number of visits made to Tekchhiu dispensary were 14,345, while 1,789 patients were visited at their homes. Dr. Otte relates a peculiar instance of a prescription recommended by the best native physicians as the only guaranteed tonic: "Take a young black cat with a white nose; after cleansing, make mincemeat of the creature, steep for a month in whiskey, and take a small quantity of the mixture three times a day."

Rev. G. G. Haan preached in the Adventist church at Allegan last Sunday.

Rev. D. R. Drukker, pastor of the Fourteenth street Christian Reformed church has declined the call recently extended to him by the newly organized English church of that denomination on Sherman street, Grand Rapids. Rev. Drukker has probably received more calls during the past year than any other clergyman in the Christian Reformed denomination. He has been pastor of his present charge four years.

Rev. B. Eldersvelt of Beaverdam has declined the call to the newly organized Sixteenth street Christian Reformed church in this city, making the seventh negative reply to be received since its organization.

Dr. Dubbink of the Western Theological seminary conducted services in the First Reformed church at Zeeland last Sunday.

Rev. D. R. Drukker conducted services in the Nykerk church last Sunday.

A large crowd attended the reception given last Thursday night in Fourth Reformed church to welcome the pastor, Rev. J. L. Lumkes and his family who came here from Alto, Wis. Elder Blok welcomed them to the congregation and the pastor responded. G. Bos, theological student, gave a talk on the Young People's society. Friday night Rev. Lumkes preached his first regular sermon.

The Second Reformed church of Grand Rapids is as yet without a pastor. At a congregational meeting no choice could be reached and consequently no call was made. The Rev. VanKersen of Pella, Iowa, who had been called at a previous meeting is at present building a new church at his present location. As his church is undergoing such important improvements Mr. VanKersen does not care to leave at present.

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A. L. Burk was in Grand Rapids Sunday.

Roy Mc Gregory of Detroit is visiting friends here.

Miss Cornelia Vander Veen was a Grand Rapids visitor Monday.

Mrs. J. B. Scully and daughter Dorothy of Chicago were the guests this week of Prof. and Mrs. H. Boers.

Miss Katherine Post has returned to Ann Arbor.

Misses Leah and Theresa Wise were Grand Rapids visitors Saturday.

Albert Rooks has returned from a trip to Dakota.

Leon Rutgers of Chicago visited his parents here Sunday.

Peter Boven has returned from a business trip to Reeman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tybald of Grand Rapids were the guests of relatives here the first part of the week.

Captain Evans of Ann Arbor was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Purdy Sunday.

Mrs. E. Westendorp and daughter Anna of Chicago are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Artmeir.

Thomas De Vries and F. C. Wilkes attended the banquet of the Underwriters association in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Ben A. Mulder was in Detroit this week arranging for a big printing contract with the Cuban Land Improvement company.

William Robinson of South Haven passed through here Monday on his way to Grand Haven to be examined by Dr. Walkley, the life saving marine surgeon. He will re-enter the station at South Haven where he has been for several years. He formerly was a member of the Holland crew.

Henry Fris, who is attaining great success in the newspaper field at Janesville, Wis., was the guest of his mother, Mrs. A. Fris the first part of the week.

Miss Theo Thurber delightfully entertained a company of friends at her home on River street last Saturday evening.

Miss Edith Grams has returned to Allegan where she was called by the serious illness of her cousin, Mrs. Herman Vaupell.

Miss Daisy Flemming of St Joseph is visiting friends here.

R. C. Ludwig is visiting friends in Benton Harbor.

Martin Dykema was in Chicago Tuesday.

Attorney A. VanDuren was in Caloma Monday on business.

S. A. Miller of Macatawa Park was in Grand Rapids Tuesday on business.

Miss Crystal Barber of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barber.

George Mc Fall, Henry Steketee, Mary Koppleman, Martha Tulip, Sarah Ver Lee, Lena Brandt were in Grand Rapids Monday.

Miss Maude Kleyn returned Monday to Ann Arbor.

Mrs. B. P. Sherwood and children who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Garrod have returned Grand Haven.

Miss Ora Hoover has been the guest of Dora L. Mellema for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Will J. Powers are visiting relatives in Montague.

Rev. J. H. E. Ten Grootenhuis of Detroit was the guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wykhuisen.

Captain Martin DeBoe of this city was the guest of his son, Peter DeBoe of Grand Haven last week.

Tom N. Robinson, the state fair wanderer, was in the city Sunday on his way to Ann Arbor from his home in South Haven. Tom made good in his determination to enter the U. of M. and is working his way through successfully.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bone spent Sunday in Allegan.

Bernard DeVries, Paul Kleinhekel, Sears McLean, Ernest Kremers and Raymond Visscher returned Monday to Ann Arbor after spending a week with relatives in the city.

The Intermediate Christian Endeavor class of Hope church took a hayrack ride to Zeeland last Thursday night. On the way they were entertained at the home of Prof. D. B. Yntema.

The German language was it last Thursday evening when Miss Myrtle Beach entertained Der Deutscher Gessellschaft at her home on East Twelfth street. Prof. N. M. Steffens was in charge of the program which consisted of readings by Arthur Misener and Florence Taylor, a piano solo by Anna Schelke, violin solo by Avis Yates and several songs by the society.

Dr. and Mrs. W. I. J. Bruinsma and family went to West Olive Wednesday to attend the 40th wedding anniversary of Mrs. Bruinsma's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ebel. A family reunion was held and the time passed very enjoyably. Mr. and Mrs. Ebel have three sons: Charles, living at Grand Rapids, and Will and Henry living at home. Mrs. Bruinsma is the only daughter. Mrs. John Regeline, a sister of Mr. Ebel, lives at Grand Rapids. Mrs. Ebel has two brothers. One Captain Ewald, is the keeper of the life saving station at Pentwater and the other, August Ewald, lives at Ludington.

Miss Grace Clone was a Grand Rapids visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Stoddard and two children of Detroit are visiting relatives here.

Rev. Peter DePree of Grand Rapids is visiting his sons Con and Rob DePree.

Mrs. J. A. Vander Veen left yesterday for Flint to make an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gould of Chicago have opened their cottage on the South Shore.

Mrs. F. C. Warner of Chicago who has been visiting here returned home last evening.

E. S. Rice and Miss Gladys Rice of Chicago are spending the week at their cottage at Waukazoo.

Attorney and Mrs. P. H. McBride returned Tuesday evening from Los Angeles, Cal., where they spent the winter.

Mrs. Grace Armstrong and Miss Maggie Armstrong of Chicago have arrived at Waukazoo to spend the summer at their cottage.

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| Blackberry Cordial in bulk | Quart .75 | .40 |
| Sherry Wine in bulk | Gallon, 3.50 | 1.75 |
| Sherry Wine in Bulk | Quart .75 | .45 |
| Port Wine in bulk | Gallon 3.00 | 1.50 |
| Port Wine in bulk | Quart .75 | .40 |
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STATE OF MICHIGAN,
AUDITOR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT,
Lansing, April 1, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that
certain lands situated in the County
of Ottawa bid off to the State for tax-
es of 1904 and previous years, and
described in statements which will
be forwarded to the office of the
Treasurer of said County, and may
be seen at said office previous to the
day of sale, will be sold at public
auction by said Treasurer, at the
County Seat, on the first Tuesday
of May next, at the time and place
designated for the Annual Tax Sale,
if not previously redeemed or can-
celled according to law. Said state-
ments contain a full description of
each parcel of said lands.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court
for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate
office, in the City of Grand Haven, in
said county, on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1908.

Present: HON. EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of

Nancy Ter Achter, Deceased.

William O. Van Eyck having filed in said
court his petition praying for license to mortgage
the interest of said estate in certain real estate
therein described.

It is Ordered, that the

11th day of May, A. D. 1908,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said
Probate office, be and is hereby appointed
for hearing said petition, and that all persons
interested in said estate appear before said court
at said time and place, to show cause why a
license to mortgage the interest of said estate in
said real estate should not be granted.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice
thereof be given by publication of a
copy of this order, for three successive
weeks previous to said day of hearing, in
the Holland City News, a newspaper
printed and circulated in said county.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)
Bernard Bottje,
Register of Probate.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate
Court for the County of Ottawa.

In the matter of the estate of I. C. C.
berg, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months,
from the 23rd day of March, A. D. 1908
have been allowed for creditors to present
their claims against said deceased to said
court for examination and adjustment,
and that all creditors of said deceased are
required to present their claims to said
court, at the Probate Office in the city of
Grand Haven, in said county, on or be-
fore the 23rd day of July, A. D. 1908
and that said claims will be heard by said
court on the 23rd day of July, A. D. 1908
at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated March 23rd, A. D. 1908.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)
Bernard Bottje,
Register of Probate.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate
Court for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate
office, in the City of Grand Haven,
in said county, on the 18th day of
April, A. D. 1908.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge
of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of

Jan Timmer, Deceased.

Willem Timmer having filed in said court
his petition praying that a certain instrument
in writing, purporting to be the last will and tes-
tament of said deceased, now on file in said
court be admitted to probate, and that the ad-
ministration of said estate be granted to him-
self or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the

11th day of May, A. D. 1908,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said
probate office, be and is hereby appointed
for hearing said petition;

It is Further Ordered, That public notice
thereof be given by publication of a
copy of this order, for three successive
weeks previous to said day of hearing, in
the Holland City News, a newspaper
printed and circulated in said county.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate
Court for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate
Office in the City of Grand Haven,
in said county, on the 13th day of
April, A. D. 1908.

Present: HON. EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of

John Kerkhof, Deceased.

Jose Kerkhof having filed in said court her
petition praying that said court adjudge and
determine who were at the time of his death
the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to
inherit the real estate of which said deceased
deceased.

It is Ordered, That the

11th day of May, A. D. 1908,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate
office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing
said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice
thereof be given by publication of a
copy of this order, for three successive
weeks previous to said day of hearing, in
the Holland City News, a newspaper
printed and circulated in said county.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate
Court for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate
office, in the City of Grand Haven,
in said county, on the 13th day of April,
A. D. 1908.

Present, Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge
of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of

Geertruida H. F. Otte, Deceased.

Caroline E. Otte, having filed in said court
her petition praying that a certain instrument
in writing, purporting to be the last will and
testament of said deceased, now on file in said
court be admitted to probate, and that the ad-
ministration of said estate be granted to her-
self or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the

11th day of May, A. D. 1908,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said
Probate office, be and is hereby appointed
for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice
thereof be given by publication of a
copy of this order, for three successive
weeks previous to said day of hearing, in
the Holland City News, a newspaper
printed and circulated in said county.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)
Bernard Bottje,
Register of Probate.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court
for the County of Ottawa.

In the Matter of the Estate of Johanna
Riemers, deceased.

Having been appointed commissioners to re-
ceive, examine and adjust all claims and de-
mands of all persons against said deceased, we
do hereby give notice that four months from
the 18th day of March, A. D. 1908 were allowed
by said court for creditors to present their
claims to us for examination and adjustment,
and that we will meet at the office of Dickema
& Kollen, First State Bank Building, in the
city of Holland, in said county, on the 18th day
of June, A. D. 1908, and on the 16th day of July,
A. D. 1908 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each
of said days, for the purpose of examining and
adjusting said claims.

Dated March 30, A. D. 1908.

Geo. E. Kollen
Daniel Ten Cate
Commissioners

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court
for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate
Office in the city of Grand Haven, in said county
on the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1908.

Present: Hon. EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of

William H. Horning, Deceased.

Cornelius VerSchure and Charles H. McBride
having filed in said court their first and final
account as executors of said estate, and their
petition praying for the allowance thereof, and
that the residue of said estate may be turned over
to the trustees according to the will of said deceased.

It is Ordered, That the

19th day of May A. D. 1908,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate
office, be and is hereby appointed for examining
and allowing said accounts and hearing said
petition;

It is further ordered, that public notice
thereof be given by publication of a copy of
this order, for three successive weeks previous
to said day of hearing, in the Holland City
News, a newspaper printed and circulated in
said county.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)
Bernard Bottje,
Register of Probate.

16-3w

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate
Court for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate
office, in the City of Grand Haven,
in said county, on the day of
April, A. D. 1908.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge
of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of

Albert Hansen, Deceased.

Mica Minderhout having filed in said court
his final administration account, and his peti-
tion praying for the allowance thereof and for
the assignment and distribution of the residue
of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the

11th day of May, A. D. 1908,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said
Probate office, be and is hereby appointed
for examining and allowing said account and
hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice
thereof be given by publication of a
copy of this order, for three successive
weeks previous to said day of hearing, in
the Holland City News, a newspaper
printed and circulated in said county.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)
Bernard Bottje,
Register of Probate.

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ing

Upon it all Doctors, as one,
agree;

The tonic all your friends are tak-
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NOTICE OF MEETING OF COMMISSIONERS
ON CLAIMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court
for the County of Ottawa.

In the matter of the estate of

Robert Van den Berg, Deceased.

Having been appointed commissioners to re-
ceive, examine and adjust all claims and de-
mands of all persons against said deceased,
we do hereby give notice that four months
from the 13th day of April, A. D. 1908
were allowed by said court for creditors to
present their claims to us for examination
and adjustment, and that we will meet at
the Probate office of Dr. W. P. Scott, No 78 E.
8th St. in the City of Holland in said county
on the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1908, and on
the 3rd day of August, A. D. 1908, at 10 o'clock
in the forenoon of each said days, for the
purpose of examining and adjusting said claims.

Dated April 7th A. D. 1908.

W. Preston Scott
Frank Van Ry
Commissioners.

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ORDER FOR APPEARING

State of Michigan, 20th Judicial Cir-
cuit in Chancery. Suit pending in the

Circuit Court for the county of Ottawa,

In Chancery, on the seventh day of

March, 1908.

Story & Clark Piano Company

Complainant

vs.

First National Bank of Flint

National Bank of Flint,

Genesee County Savings Bank

Levi S. Gould, and Jacob

Traber, Defendants

In this cause it appearing from

affidavit on file that the defendants,

Levi S. Gould and Jacob Traber, are

not residents of the state of Michigan,

and that it cannot be ascertained in

what state or country the said de-

fendants reside, on motion of Louis H.

Osterhaus, solicitor for complainant,

It is ordered that said defendants

cause their appearance to be entered

in said cause within five months from

the date of this order, and that within

twenty days from this date, said com-

plainant cause this order to be publis-

hed in the Holland City News, a weekly

newspaper, published and circulating

in said county, such publication to con-

tinue once in each week for six suc-

cessive weeks.

Philip Padgham,

Louis H. Osterhaus, Circuit Judge

Solicitor for Complainant

Business Address

Grand Haven, Michigan

ORDER FOR APPEARANCE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—20th Judicial Circuit

in Chancery.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the

County of Ottawa, in Chancery, on the 14th

day of February, 1908.

Story and Clark Piano Company,

Complainant.

vs.

Genesee County Savings Bank,

First National Bank of Flint,

Union National Bank of Chicago,

Levi S. Gould, Julia S. D. Bissell

and Caroline D. Bissell,

Defendants.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on
file that none of the defendants, except the
Genesee County Savings Bank and the First
National Bank of Flint, reside in the State
of Michigan; that the Union National Bank
of Chicago is a banking corporation, hav-
ing its offices and place of business in the
City of Chicago and State of Illinois; that
it cannot be ascertained in what state or
country said Levi S. Gould reside; and that
Julia S. D. Bissell and Caroline D. Bissell
reside in the State of Connecticut; on motion
of Louis H. Osterhaus, Solicitor for Com-
plainant, it is ordered that said defendants
cause their appearance to be entered in said
cause within five months from the date of
this order, and that within twenty days from
this date, said complainant cause this order
to be published in the Holland City News, a
weekly newspaper published and circulating
in said county, such publication to con-
tinue once in each week for six successive
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Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea never fails to tone the stomach, purify the blood, regulate the kidneys, liver and bowels. The greatest spring tonic, makes and keeps you well. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets, Haan Bros.

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May be worth to you more than \$100 if you have a child who soils bedding from incontinence of water during sleep. Cures old and young alike. It arrests the trouble at once. \$1.00. Sold by Heber Walsh, Druggist, Holland, Mich.

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Cost of Holland Fire Department

For those with a statistical turn of mind and others who would be interested in what it costs to maintain the Holland Fire department—one of the best in the country in cities of this size, the following has been prepared:

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| Salaries, Chief and ass'ts. | \$ 254.08 |
| Salaries, drivers | 1546.00 |
| Salaries Firemen | \$1786.86 |
| Total Salaries | \$ 3586.94 |
| Fuel | \$42.40 |
| Expense conven'on | 35.00 |
| Hay, oats, etc. | 599.87 |
| Horseshoeing | 59.90 |
| Washings | 40.95 |
| Insurance | 66.00 |
| Repairs to bldgs. | 238.66 |
| Rubber coats | 48.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 174.95 |

Total expenditures \$4892.47
Fire Department Fund
Dr.

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| Balance on hand last annual settlement | \$2,745.74 |
| Tax roll, 1st Dist. | 1441.85 |
| Tax roll, 2nd Dist. | 3558.15 |

\$7745.74

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| Cr. | |
| Orders paid | \$4,892.47 |
| Balance on hand | 2,853.27 |

\$7,745.74

Diekema to Stumy Iowa

Washington, April 18.—Representative Diekema of Michigan has been invited to take part in the campaign in Iowa for a week immediately after the adjournment of congress. The fight will be in the primaries and the contending parties are the Allison and the Cummins forces. The situation in Iowa has been made acute by the charges of bad faith on the part of Gov. Cummins and counter charges made by him against the Allison supporters. The prize for which the fight is being waged is the senatorial seat from Iowa. Mr. Diekema has been invited to join the Allison party.

Mr. Diekema commended the action of the house banking and currency committee in opposing the Aldrich currency bill. He said that he did not think the bill as passed by the senate, would meet the approval or needs of the business men of the country. He predicted that the committee would take up the Vreeland bill, which looks more to these needs and provides, too for a commission to take up the whole currency system and report to congress.

The Misses Baldwin of Grand Rapids visited the president today and were introduced by Representative Diekema.

Interurban to Refuse Shipment of Liquor

Lansing, April 18.—The Grand Rapids, Holland & Chicago Ry., has filed with the Michigan Railroad commission an amendment to its freight tariff schedule refusing to accept shipments of beer, wine, and spirits from points on its line to Holland. As act 312 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1907 provides that classification of freight throughout Michigan on all railroads, it is possible the action of the road in this instance cannot be approved by the commission. No explanation accompanied the tariff which was as follows:

Supplement No. 1 to M. R. Commission No. 9. G. R., H. & C. Ry., G. F. D. 116. Grand Rapids, Holland & Chicago Railway.

Amending Conflicting Rules and Regulation in G. R., H. & C. Ry. Class and Commodity Tariff (M. R. C. No. 9.)

Issued April 17 Effective May 1, '08
Shipments of Ale and Beer, N. O. S. and Porter; Liquor, Alcoholic, N. O. S.; Highwines, Whiskey and Wines, (Imported and Domestic) will not be accepted for shipment into Holland, Mich.

Issued by
Chas. A. Floyd, G. F. A.
Grand Rapids, Mich.

On receipt of the above dispatch The Sentinel sought an interview with the officials of the railway company it was explained by Mr. Chas. A. Floyd, Gen'l Passenger and Freight agent that the amendment to the tariff was filed after serious consideration and consultation with General Manager Hendrie, as a matter of general policy. The railway officials realize that as managers of a Public Utilities Corporation, with headquarters in the city of Holland, they are strongly bound to follow so far as possible the wishes of the majority of the citizens of that city. Mr. Floyd said: While there is probably no legal obligation on us to cease handling intoxicating liquor, and while there may be legal obligation on us to carry that traffic, still we realize that with this road operating as it does frequent freight service into Holland, it would be cheap, easy and convenient for private individuals to secure all the beer wines and whiskey they want for private consumption from outside sources. Such shipments would in a measure make up to many people for the absence of saloons from the city. "It is plainly evident that Holland does not want the liquor business continued, either through saloons or in any other way, and we wish to add our support to prevent the use of liquor at Holland as much as possible."

Old Book.

John Sipkes, living at 40 East Sixteenth is the proud possessor of a very valuable old book, possibly a first edition. The book is in the Holland language, was printed in Amsterdam and is divided in two parts, the first half being printed in 1658 and the second half in 1854. The title of the book is "The Trojan War and the Abduction of Helen of Troy."

Must Believe It.

When Well Know Holland People Tell It So Plainly.

When public endorsement is made by a representative citizen of Holland the proof is positive. You must believe it. Read this testimony. Every backache sufferer, every man woman or child will find profit in the reading.

Mrs. S. Swank, of 249 River street, Holland, Mich., says: "Mr. Swank used Doan's Kidney Pills with the very best results. A short while ago he sprained his back and as a result brought on kidney trouble. His kidneys were very weak and he also suffered from the accompanying symptoms of kidney complaint. He consulted a physician and took his medicine but received very little relief. A neighbor knowing of his suffering advised him to try Doan's Kidney Pills and upon his advice he procured a box at G. L. Lage's drug store. After using them a short time his troubles gradually began to disappear and he continued taking them until completely cured. He always recommends Doan's Kidney Pills as a kidney remedy that acts quickly and cures permanently."

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Woltman, April 15—a son.

C. M. McLean was in Chicago on business Tuesday.

Every fruit grower is busy now spraying the trees.

The launching of L. Kardux's new launch took place near his home on the north side of the bay last Thursday night.

Fred Beuwkes has exchanged his house and lot on East Fourteenth street with his father, L. Beuwkes, on the corner of Thirteenth and College avenue.

The St. Louis sugar factory yesterday declared a dividend of 15 per cent on the stock. There are several local people interested in this factory.

John Dykstra, Jacob Heemstra, J. Warnshuis and Isaac Van Westenburg have been chosen by the college Y. M. C. A. to go as delegates to the State Conference of Young Men's Christian associations to be held at Lansing Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Lieut. and Mrs. Edward H. Andros left Nagasaki, Japan, yesterday, enroute to America on the transport Thomas. They will arrive in San Francisco about the middle of May. Part of the summer will be spent in Grand Haven, their former home.

There are on the chain of lakes a total of 58 life saving stations under the supervision of the United States government. These are divided as follows: Lake Michigan 40, Lake Huron 10, Lake Superior 8, Lake Erie 6, Lake Ontario 4. The Canadian government maintains 10 life saving stations, of which Lake Ontario has 5, Lake Erie 3 and Lake Huron 2.

E. H. Engle of Hartford, Mich., says about the Mississippians who will appear at Price's auditorium tomorrow night: "It affords me much pleasure to state to the public that the Mississippi Jubilee Singers gave an entertainment here that caused the audience to become wild with delight. All the members of the company are ladies and gentlemen in the fullest sense. No society, church or theater engaging the Mississippians will certainly never regret it."

Within a few days an organization will be formed which will be known as the Holland Boat and Canoe club. A committee consisting of R. M. De Pree, R. Kanter, jr., Dudley O. Dewey and Charles A. Floyd has been appointed to confer with Commodore Robert Irwin of the Macatawa Bay Yacht club and President Charles A. McQueen of the Grand Rapids Boat and Canoe club in regard to making the best possible organization and mutual arrangements.

Julius Silverman, a junk dealer, charged with receiving stolen property, was acquitted by a jury in Grand Rapids this week. Silverman was the purchaser of brass junk valued at \$6, which was stolen from a building owned by W. T. Powers, by one Edward Schoeper, who was arraigned for larceny some weeks ago. He showed that he was an innocent purchaser. Silverman is well known here as he makes this town in a business way every week.

One of the most interesting meetings of its history was held by the Merchants Association last Monday night. The feature of the evening was an address by C. J. Lokker in which he told of the successive steps in improvement in butter making methods from the churn to the latest in creamery equipment and creamery ways of doing the work. After the evening repast short speeches were made by Ex-mayor Van Putten, Mayor Brusse, Attorney C. Vander Meulen and Attorney Charles H. McBride. Jacob Lokker acted as toastmaster. John Van der Sluis urged the members to turn out in force tonight to meet the committee from the Advertisers club of Grand Rapids. A detailed report will be found on page 2.

At noon today Frank L. Codrington, C. B. Hamilton, E. W. Bliss, A. B. Merritt, Don Safford, L. J. De Lamater, W. J. Fenton, L. E. Torrey and John Duffy arrived in the city and were entertained at dinner at Hotel Holland. Tonight they will meet with the Holland merchants Association and make plans for the annual dinner of the Grand Rapids advertising club to be given at Jenison Park May 26. At this May meeting some of the best known advertisers in the country will give their ideas on the art of advertising and a most interesting entertainment will be given. Congressman G. J. Diekema will be the toastmaster if his engagements will permit him to attend. The idea of having the advertising club come to Jenison was first conceived at the last banquet held in Grand Rapids.

The April meeting of the Hope college council is being held in the Graves library building this week. The meeting is a week earlier than usual.

Benjamin Tagg of Mill Grove, an old resident of this section who came to Allegan when the place was practically a wilderness, was found dead in his chair last night by his family. Tagg was 92 years old and old age caused his death. Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 3 o'clock from the home of his son at Mill Grove.

Lilith, the 11-years-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Ford, died from acute poisoning according to the chemical analysis of a sample of the contents of her stomach, but the direct cause was not ascertained and will never be known. The presumption of poison from candy breath perfumes which she is known to have eaten a day before her death cannot be corroborated. The analysis was made by William Kremers, chief chemist at the Holland sugar factory.

The Mississippians who sing in Price's Auditorium tomorrow night are well known to the people of Holland. Last fall they filled an engagement in the Methodist church which proved to be an overflow meeting so that the program had to be repeated the next night. The troupe has not missed a night since that engagement. In fact some of the company have been on the road for nearly a year and have hardly missed an evening during all that time.

Manager Killeen is gradually filling out the schedule for the high school base ball team and has at present secured the following dates: Hope college at Holland April 25, Union high school of Grand Rapids at Grand Haven May 16, Hope college at Grand Haven June 6, Union high school at Grand Rapids June 13. Arrangements are also being made with Central of Lansing and Allegan. The management is having a serious misunderstanding with Holland high school and as a result the two schools may not meet this year on the diamond.—Grand Haven.

Pupil's Recital.

The pupils of the department of music of Hope College gave a recital last night that was once more a credit to the department. The recitals become more popular each time they are given. They show the public what the music department is doing since they are but samples of the work done there. The following program was given, every number of which was exceptionally well rendered.

"The Two Grenadiers".....Schumann
Mr. John Plasman
"Cavatina".....Raff
Miss Avis Yates
(a) Fantasie Impromptu; (b) Valse in a Flat.....Chopin
Miss Eva St. Clair
(a) Nocturne.....Chadwick
(b) To Welcome You.....Goring-Thomas
Miss Vera Van Hess
Berceuse ("Jocelyn").....Godard
Mr. Edward Steketee
(a) Frühlingsrauschen.....Sinding
(b) Valse de Concert.....Wienawski
Miss Ebba Clark
(a) Time's Garden.....Goring-Thomas
(b) Allah be with Us.....Finden
Miss Anna Boot
Scarf Dance.....Chaminade
Miss Bata Bemis.
(a) A Request.....Chadwick
(b) Chanson de Florian.....Godard
Miss Helene Keppel
The program will begin at 8 o'clock.

Notes of Sport.

□ The Hope college baseball team defeated the Union high school nine of Grand Rapids in the opening game of the season Saturday afternoon by the score of 5 to 2. The game was a tie up to the sixth inning when the locals added another score and in the seventh cinched the game when three runners crossed the plate. Umpire Van Scheluen was the target for much dispute on the part of the visitors and was relieved by Schouten in the seventh.

Chris Knutson came home for the Easter holiday and incidentally put a crimp in the aspirations of the Lawrence baseball club in its march pennantward. He twirled in real U. of M. style for the Independents and the Lawrenceites crashed down the toboggan to the tune of 6 to 0. If Knutson comes back to Holland and pitcher for the Independents all summer there will be nothing to it but that team when it comes to figuring on the city championship.

Marriage Licenses.

Abraham Arendson, 23, Jamestown; Adrian Shoemaker, 20, Jamestown.

Gerrit A. Roelofs, 27, Zeeland; Jennie Coster, 20, Overisel.

John Timmer, 25, Overisel; Jennie Nagelkerk, 18, Zeeland.

Gerrit Van Hortsma, 25, Jamestown; Gertie A. Roelofs, 22, Zeeland.

George Deur, 19, Holland; Cornelia Soer, 23, New Groeningen.

Ferdinand H. Huebner, 35; Jenison; Lottie Fields, 27, Jenison.

John Bos 26 Coopersville; Grace Terpstra, 26, Coopersville.

John Kuis, 25 Jamestown; Jacoba Staal, 25, Zeeland.

William Smith, 24, Borculo; Gertrude Driesenga, 22, Biendon.

Gerret Slegh, 27, New Holland; Hannah Eiber, 25, New Holland.

Gerrit Schrottenboer, 23, Robinson; Jennie Potts, 22, Allendale.

Lyman Gordon West, 25, Holland; Celia VanderHeuvel, 18, Holland.

John T. Van Hartsmas, 27, Jamestown; Catherine Geerlings, 21, Jamestown.

Theodore Bosman, 26, Holland; Cornelia Van Slidrecht, 23, East Paris.

Claude Molenkamp, 24, Ferrysburg; Henrietta Van Oort, 17, Ferrysburg.

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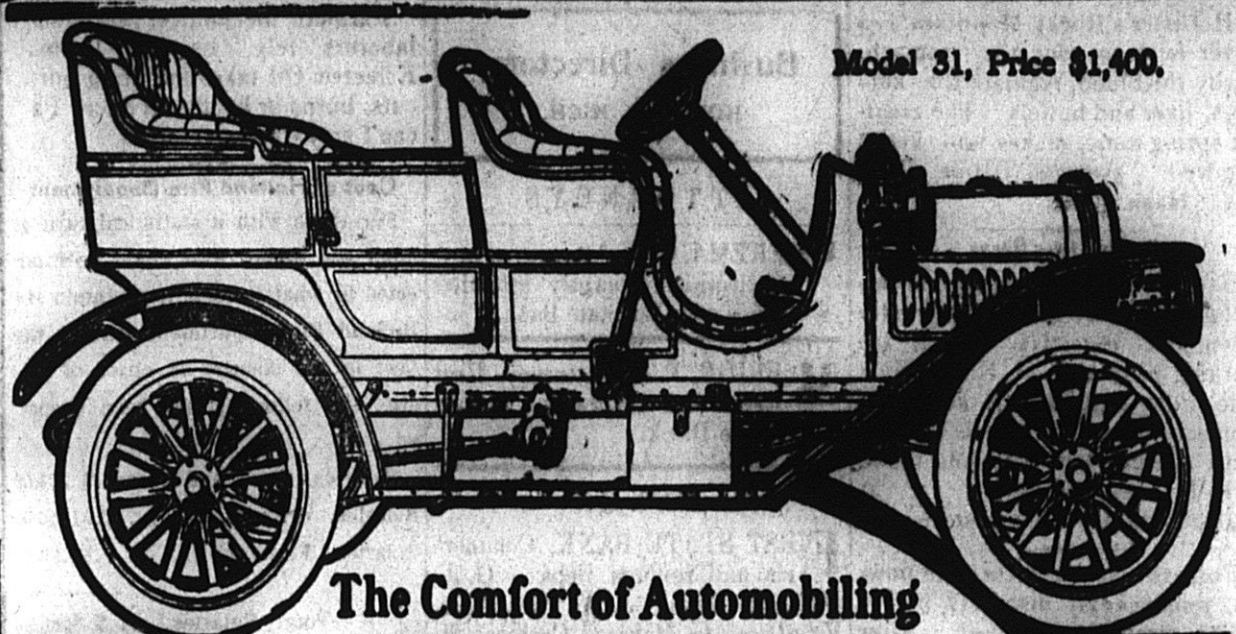
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